



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Robert Stephen Lewandowski et al.

Serial No.: 10/814,956

Filed: March 31, 2004

For: METHOD AND MEANS FOR
ISOLATING ELEMENTS OF A
SENSOR ARRAY

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Group Art Unit: 3662

Examiner: Lobo, Ian J.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31 FROM THE DECISION OF THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Appellants hereby request a one (1) month extension in the statutory period for response to the Advisory Action from December 28, 2006 to January 28, 2007 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$120.00, and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 126956-6/YOD (GERD:0607).

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the final decision mailed September 28, 2006 and Advisory Action mailed December 21, 2006 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-10, 12, 35-37 and 39 of the above-referenced application.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite filing fee of \$500.00 (Notice of Appeal), and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 126956-6/YOD (GERD:0607).

General Authorization for Extensions of Time

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, the undersigned hereby provides a general authorization to treat this and any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Furthermore, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fee for any extension of time to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 126956-6/YOD (GERD:0607).

Respectfully submitted,

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